

EXAMINATION OF WASTE MATERIAL FROM PETER'S HILL, CITY OF LONDON

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The material examined (AM 830515) was listed as industrial waste and bronze fragments. However, apart from the material from context 665, it was found to consist of stones, soil and a few bones and sherds. Analysis of samples of the material by energy dispersive x-ray fluorescence only detected elements expected in any soil sample. One group of material (context 665) consisted of iron panned concretions some of which contained completely corroded iron objects.

No evidence was found to indicate that this material was industrial waste, or that bronze fragments were present.